

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 294 – SB 350

February 9, 2023

SUMMARY OF BILL: Expands the *Save Tennessee Students Act* to include public institutions of higher education, requiring such institutions when issuing new student identification (ID) cards to include on the ID card the telephone number for the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline and the social media handle, telephone number, or text number for at least one additional crisis resource selected by the institution. Requires such institutions to also post such information in a conspicuous place on each campus operated by the institution.

FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

- Public institutions of higher education will be able to add such information to new student ID cards within existing resources without a significant increase in state expenditures. Any increase in design and printing costs to post the required information on each campus is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Krista Lee Carsner".

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

/lm